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To: Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor: I. MIMURA et al (SEE ATTACHED)

For:  
METHOD OF MONITORING QUALITY OF COMMUNICATION  
FOR EACH FLOW

Enclosed are:

☒ 7 Sheets of Drawings

This application is being filed without an executed Declaration.

☒ Priority is claimed from Japanese Application No. 2000-073924  
filed March 13, 2000 ☒ A certified copy is attached herewith.

☒ Copies of the disclosure documents listed on the attached PTO 1449 form and  
☒ discussed in the specification or ☒ attached Information Disclosure Statement.

☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.

☒ Specification: Abstract ☒ Description 39 pages; and 16 claim(s).

☐ Preliminary Amendment.

☒ Executed Declaration.

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